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Application No.: 08/999,690

Group:

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Filed:

September 8, 1997

Examiner:

D. Clark

For:

Vectors Carrying Therapeutic Genes Encoding Antimicrobial Peptides for Gene

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been [] established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and []1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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(COL. 1) **CLAIMS**

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x	\$ 9	\$		
х	\$40	\$		
+	\$135	\$		

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

RATE		ADDIT. FEE		
X	\$18	\$	468	
X	\$80	\$	160	
+	\$270	\$		

<u>OR</u>

not fewer than 20

not fewer than 3

TOTAL

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628 TOTAL =

Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for the following fees:

Petition for [month Extension of Time [] Amendment Fee [][] Other Fees: \$ TOTAL: A check is enclosed in payment of the following fees: Petition for four month Extension of Time \$ 1390 [X] 628 [X] Amendment Fee [X] Other Fees: Request for Continued Examination (RCE) 710 \$ TOTAL: 2728

[X] A general authorization is hereby granted to charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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